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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****MAY 07 2007****PATENT APPLICATION  
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****Applicant:** Raftelis  
**Serial No:** 09/965,238  
**Filing Date:** 9/27/01**Examiner:** AHMED, SALMAN  
**Art Group:** 2616  
**Docket No:** WHIT 020**Title:** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING NETWORK MANAGER  
COMMAND IN A COMMUNICATION NETWORK

Date: 5/7/07

**Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks,  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313****PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED PATENT  
APPLICATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.137 (b)**

1. The reply of a request for continued examination (RCE) to the outstanding Notice of Allowance is accompanying herewith.
2. The petition fee of \$750 for a small entity as set forth in § 1.17(m) is being paid via a credit card authorization form, which is attached hereto.
3. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this petition was unintentional. The following supports this statement:
  - a) The patent application was filed using a then current correspondence of the undersigned.
  - b) The undersigned changed correspondence address about a year after the present patent application was filed.
  - c) A correction of correspondence for this patent application was not filed until 11/02/05.

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d) On 7/28/05 a non-final office action was mailed to the old correspondence address. The applicant never received the office action.

e) On 11/7/06, a notice of abandonment was mailed to the now current correspondence address.

Based on the foregoing, the delay in provided the appropriate response was unintentional and the applicant hereby requests that the Director grant this petition to revive.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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